

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 4 as follows:

1. (Withdrawn) A bird decoy for attracting predators and migratory birds comprising a bird having a motor-driven flapping wing and a motor-driven folding wing for simulating birds selected from the group consisting of foraging birds, predatory birds and water fowl; a receptacle provided on said bird; and a fixed support for removably engaging said receptacle, wherein said bird rotates on said support responsive to flapping of said flapping wing and vibration of said folded wing.

2. (Withdrawn) The bird decoy of claim 1 wherein said receptacle comprises a cylinder.

3. (Withdrawn) A method of attracting predators and migratory birds comprising the steps of:

(a) providing a decoy bird having a motor-driven flapping wing and a motor-driven folded wing;

(b) providing a receptacle on the bird;

(c) providing a fixed support for movably engaging the receptacle;

(f) seating the bird on the support at the receptacle; and

(g) causing the flapping wing of the decoy bird to flap and the folded wing of the decoy bird to vibrate for rotation of the decoy bird on the support.

4. (Currently Amended) A flying bird decoy comprising a substantially vertically-oriented support; at least one arm rotatably carried by said support; and at least one self-propelled mechanical flying bird connected to said arm, said self-propelled mechanical flying bird having a pair of movable wings, for circling said support on said arm responsive to flapping of said movable wings and flying of said self-propelled mechanical flying bird.

5. (Original) The flying bird decoy of claim 4 comprising a bearing provided on said support for receiving said arm and wherein said arm rotates around said support on said bearing responsive to said flying of said mechanical flying bird.

6. (Original) The flying bird decoy of claim 4 wherein said at least one mechanical flying bird comprises two mechanical flying birds attached to each end of said arm, respectively.

7. (Original) The flying bird decoy of claim 6 comprising a bearing provided on said support for receiving said arm and wherein said arm rotates around said support on said bearing responsive to said flying of said mechanical flying birds.

8. (Withdrawn) The flying bird decoy of claim 4 wherein said at least one arm comprising a pair of arms disposed in vertically spaced-apart relationship with respect to each other and rotatable on said support, and comprising a first pair of mechanical flying birds attached to one of said pair of arms and a second pair of mechanical flying birds attached to said second pair of arms.

9. (Withdrawn) The flying bird decoy of claim 8 comprising bearings provided on said support for receiving said arms and wherein said arms rotate around said support on said bearings, respectively, responsive to said flying of said first and second pair of said mechanical flying birds, respectively.